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S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

DOG NO. 10191/857	APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 09/176,124	EXAMINER Ta Tung	ART UNIT 1743
INVENTOR(S) Gerhard Schneid		RECEIV	FD
Washington D.C This is a reques application Seria	nissioner for Patents C. 20231 t for continued examination under all No. 09/176,124, filed on October) (E) of pending
X Amen Informa Drawing	onstitute the submission <u>required</u> by dment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 filed tion Disclosure Statement Changes ubmission:	October 19, 1991, cop	

1. The filing fee for this RCE and the required amendment/submission is calculated below. The fee below is calculated based on the status of the claims after the entry of the attached amendment/submission. The fee for any new additional claims is included with this RCE, the fee for previously entered additional claims having already been paid.

	CLAIMS ADDED BY AMENDMENT	MINUS	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$) PER CLAIM	FEE (\$)
BASIC FEE						740.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	0	20			18.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	0	3			84.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					280.00	0.00
AUDNDAF1 00000013 11 740.00 CH 520.00 CH	*Number extra must be zero or larger	TOTAL	740.00			
If Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 SMALL ENTITY and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.						0.00

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- 2. Please charge the required RCE and submission filing fee of \$740.00 to the deposit account of Kenyon & Kenyon, deposit account number 11-0600.
- 3. This is also a Request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) by which Applicant(s) respectfully request(s) a further one-month extension of time to extend the time to respond by filing a continuation application from October 18, 2001 (a two-month extension was paid previously to extend the three-month response date from August 18, 2001 to October 18, 2001) to November 19, 2001 (November 18, 2001 is a Sunday). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the necessary 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) extension fee, which is believed to be \$520.00, to the deposit account number 11-0600 of Kenyon & Kenyon.
- 4. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of fees, including any additional fees required, associated with this communication or arising during the pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number 11-0600.

5. A duplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

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